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**Office of the Chief
Regulatory Branch**

**Mr. Ivan Makil, President
Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community
Route 1, Box 216
Scottsdale, Arizona 85256-9722**

Dear Mr. Makil:

A site visit to the Tri-City landfill was performed by Mr. Ron Fowler of my staff on August 18, 1993. The purpose of this visit was to attend a construction status update meeting which had been scheduled by Mr. Brian Meyers of your office. Although this meeting did not materialize, Mr. Fowler examined the area scheduled for bank stabilization treatment as identified on the construction schedule provided by your office during a meeting on August 5, 1993. Mr. Fowler found little construction activity occurring where, according to your construction schedule, the bank stabilization activities should have commenced two weeks earlier.

Delays in construction could result in additional, unnecessary erosion of the landfill. The Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community should be fully aware of this potential in light of the flood events of 1991-1992 and 1993. No one — not the public, not the Corps, not the Indian Community — should be forced to undergo again the problems associated with the flooding of the Tri-City Landfill.

Please provide assurances that the required bank protection will be implemented no later than March 1994. Also please consider accelerating the construction schedule to minimize the risk of subsequent flood damages. You are also requested to continually monitor, and, if needed, adjust your construction sequencing as an effort to reduce the probability of additional erosion of the landfill.

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As before, your continued cooperation is appreciated. If you have any questions please contact Ron Fowler of the Regulatory Branch in Phoenix at (602) 640-5385.

Sincerely,

R. L. VanAntwerp
Colonel, Corps of Engineers
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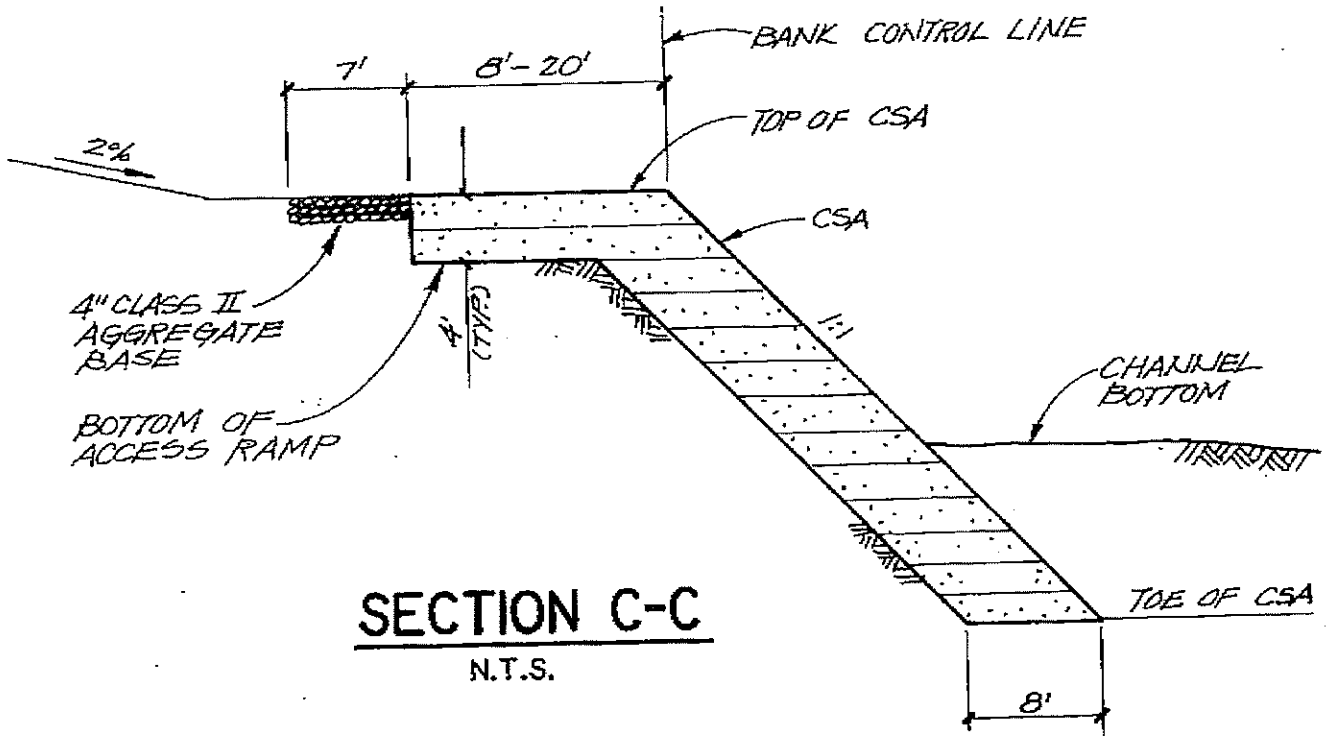
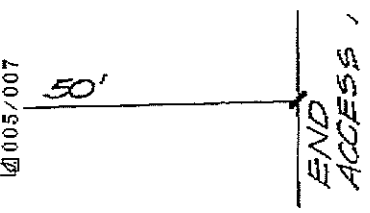
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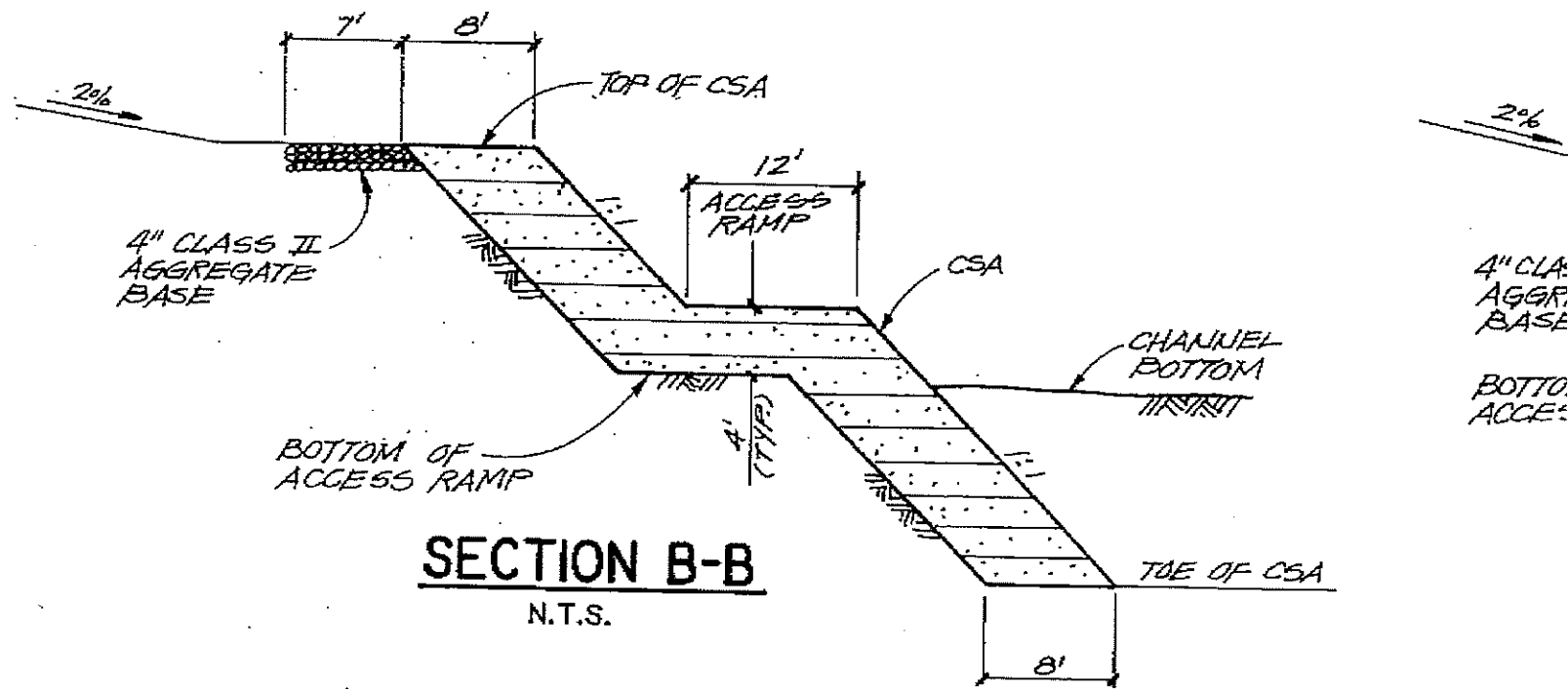
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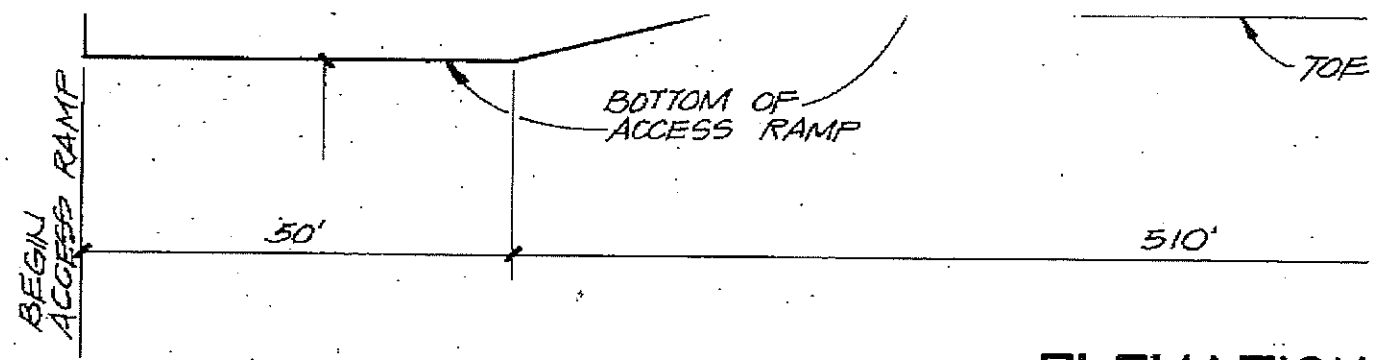
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